

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME
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**Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Announcement # 34
For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-35-13**

Commercial salmon fishing will be extended in the Unimak, Southwestern (including the Cold Bay (284-67), Lenard Harbor (284-65), Mortensens Lagoon (284-62) stat areas), and South Central districts until further notice.

As previously announced, commercial salmon fishing has been extended in the Shumagin Islands Section of the Southeastern District until further notice.

Closed waters

The Volcano Bay (284-36) stat area, as well as the Belkofski Bay Section north of a line extending from Belkofski Point at 55° 04.31' N. lat., 162° 03.40' W. long. to Slavna Point at 55° 03.72' N. lat., 162° 11.42' W. long., **will remain closed.**

The closed waters of Mino Creek will remain at the stream outlet terminus with the ocean shoreline. All closed waters in the Deer Island Section of the Southwestern District will be reduced to the stream outlet terminus with the ocean shoreline.

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

<http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon>.

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).

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